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*Report of immigration at New York for the week ended September 15, 1900.*OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,
*Port of New York, September 17, 1900.**Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended September 15, 1900 ;
also names of vessels and ports from which they came.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
Sept. 10	Steamship La Bretagne.....	Havre	577
Do.....	Steamship Spartan Prince.....	Genoa and Naples.....	742
Do.....	Steamship Californian.....	Glasgow	26
Do.....	Steamship Amsterdam.....	Rotterdam.....	420
Sept. 12	Steamship Albano.....	Hamburg	101
Do.....	Steamship Anchoria.....	Glasgow	173
Do.....	Steamship Kensington.....	Antwerp.....	633
Do.....	Steamship Kaiserin Maria Theresa..	Bremen.....	344
Sept. 13	Steamship Servia.....	Liverpool and Queenstown.....	109
Do.....	Steamship Werra.....	Genoa and Naples.....	746
Do.....	Steamship Barbarossa.....	Bremen.....	970
Sept. 14	Steamship Fürst Bismarck.....	Hamburg.....	224
Do.....	Steamship Germanic.....	Liverpool and Queenstown	322
Do.....	Steamship Graf Waldersee.....	Hamburg.....	313
Sept. 15	Steamship Lucania.....	Liverpool and Queenstown.....	420
Do.....	Steamship La Lorraine.....	Havre.....	273
Total			6,393

THOMAS FITCHIE,
*Commissioner.**Report of immigrants inspected at the port of New York, during the month of August, 1900.*

Total number of immigrants inspected, 32,590 ; number passed, 32,366 ; number certified for deportation on account of dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases, or for other physical causes, 224.

Disposition of immigrants certified for deportation.—Number cases pending at beginning of month, 19 ; number cases certified for deportation during month, 224 ; total to be accounted for, 243 ; number cases deported, 28 ; number cases admitted, 206 ; number cases pending at close of month, 9.

L. L. WILLIAMS,
*Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.**Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.*

CONNECTICUT.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of August, 1900, from 168 towns having an aggregate estimated population of 906,451, show a total of 1,642 deaths, including diphtheria, 18 ; enteric fever, 36 ; measles, 3 ; scarlet fever, 2 ; whooping cough, 18, and 111 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Bridgeport.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 71,000. Total number of deaths, 118, including diphtheria, 1 ; enteric fever, 1 ; scarlet fever, 1, and 17 from tuberculosis.

IOWA—Dubuque.—Month of July, 1900. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths, 39, including whooping cough, 1, and 4 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MARYLAND—*Baltimore*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 541,000—white, 463,000; colored, 78,000. Total number of deaths, 959—white, 756; colored, 203—including diphtheria, 13; enteric fever, 47; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 2; whooping cough, 6, and 108 from tuberculosis.

MASSACHUSETTS—*Fitchburg*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 30,523. Total number of deaths, 63, including enteric fever, 3; whooping cough 1, and 3 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended September 15, 1900, from 88 observers, indicate that scarlet fever increased and whooping cough and phthisis pulmonalis decreased in area of prevalence.

Phthisis pulmonalis was reported present at 173, enteric fever at 135, scarlet fever at 49, diphtheria at 31, measles at 13, whooping cough at 11, cerebro-spinal meningitis at 5, and smallpox at 2 places.

The Monthly Bulletin of Vital Statistics for the month of August says:

Prompt returns were received from registrars representing 2,193,087 persons, according to the State census of 1894, or 99.32 per cent of the possible reporting population of the State. This is the highest percentage of prompt reports recorded, but we trust it will be surpassed by the record for September, and that *all* of the registrars will see that their returns are mailed punctually. If unavoidably absent, please take pains to see that some responsible person mails your report on October 4, without fail.

There were 2,954 deaths in Michigan reported to the department of State for August. This number corresponds to a death rate of 14.5 per 1,000 estimated reporting population, as compared with a rate of 12.4 for the preceding month, and a rate of 13.8 for August, 1899. The mortality of the State of Indiana for August was 14.3 per 1,000 or practically the same as that of Michigan.

The number of deaths returned for August is 445 more than for July. There were 811 deaths of infants under 1 year of age, an increase of 250 over July; 268 deaths of children aged 1 to 4 years, both inclusive; and 630 deaths of persons aged 65 years and over.

Important causes of death were as follows: Pulmonary tuberculosis, 122; other forms of tuberculosis, 51; typhoid fever, 68; diphtheria and croup, 19; measles, 6; whooping cough, 17; scarlet fever, 15; pneumonia, 80; diarrheal diseases of infants under 5 years, 586; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 37; cancer, 121; accidents and violence, 187.

As compared with the preceding month a slight increase is noted in the number of deaths from diphtheria and croup, a considerable increase in the fatality of typhoid fever, and a large increase (308 deaths) in the mortality from diarrheal diseases of children. This latter increase is characteristic of the annual "slaughter of the innocents," chiefly from "cholera infantum," a type of disease which is entirely or largely preventable by proper sanitary and hygienic methods.

MINNESOTA—*St. Paul*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 165,000. Total number of deaths, 155, including enteric fever, 4; scarlet fever, 1, and 24 from tuberculosis.

NEW YORK.—Reports to the State board of health, Auburn, for the month of July, 1900, from 156 cities, towns, and villages, having an aggregate estimated population of 7,110,000, show a total of 11,641 deaths, including diphtheria, 208; enteric fever, 101; measles, 92; scarlet fever, 43; whooping cough, 113; smallpox, 1, and 1,102 from phthisis pulmonalis.

The Monthly Bulletin says:

July, usually the month of largest mortality in the year by reason of the diarrheal deaths, has been exceeded this year by that of March (the grippé epidemic), when 13,033 deaths occurred and April with 12,486, the deaths of this month being 11,614, which is below the average (11,900) of the past ten years. In 1892 there were 13,552 deaths in July; last July, 11,291. The death rate is 19.5 per cent against an average of 22 per cent for July. There were 40.6 per cent of deaths under 5 years, the average being 46 per cent.

Diarrheal deaths have increased from 477 in June to 2,075. The average for the past ten years for July is 2,863, being 24 per cent of the total mortality, against 18 per cent this month. The largest relative mortality from this cause was in the Lake Ontario and Western district, 23.6 per cent; in the Maritime, 19.6; while in the West Central and Southern Tier districts only 5.4 per cent of the deaths were diarrheal. In the three largest cities 22 per cent of the deaths were from acute diarrheal diseases, 40 deaths per 100,000 population; of 1,820 deaths in rural towns, 8 per cent were diarrheal, 8 deaths per 100,000 population. The increase from June in both localities is about the same, though commonly much the largest in the cities in July, the rural mortality from diarrhea falling on August. Other diseases of the digestive system have a much increased mortality.

Whooping cough increased from 71 deaths in June to 113, the increase being generally distributed in all parts of the State.

Typhoid fever has moderately increased; scarlet fever, measles, erysipelas, and malarial diseases have diminished. The State is free from smallpox.

There were 856 deaths from accident and violence, 5 occurring from lightning stroke, all in rural localities; 152 deaths were caused by sunstroke in New York City, and 14 in Hudson Valley towns on the 17th and 18th of the month.

Buffalo.—Month of August, 1900. Census population of 1900, 352,219. Total number of deaths, 509, including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 13; scarlet fever, 2; whooping cough, 5, and 34 from tuberculosis.

OHIO—*Cincinnati*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 455,000. Total number of deaths, 492, including diphtheria, 5; enteric fever, 14; scarlet fever, 7, and 63 from tuberculosis.

Cleveland.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 395,000. Total number of deaths, 532, including diphtheria, 8; enteric fever, 27; whooping cough, 1, and 8 from phthisis pulmonalis.

TENNESSEE—*Nashville*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 110,834—white, 69,389; colored, 41,445. Total number of deaths, 132—white, 59; colored, 73—including enteric fever, 2, and 19 from phthisis pulmonalis.

UTAH—*Ogden*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 29, including 3 from enteric fever.

VIRGINIA—*Roanoke*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 25,000. Total number of deaths, 27, including diphtheria, 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON—*Seattle*.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 90,000. Total number of deaths, 72, including enteric fever, 1; whooping cough, 1, and 7 from tuberculosis.

Tacoma.—Month of August, 1900. Estimated population, 50,000. Total number of deaths, 41, including 4 from phthisis pulmonalis.